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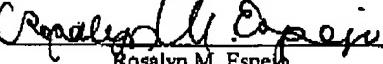
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**PATENT**

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed April 21, 2005, entry of the Amendments below and consideration of the following Remarks is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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